

LAKE PLACID NEWS

Rotary Club auction to benefit worthy projects

To the editor:

The Rotary Club of Lake Placid announces an exciting online auction to raise funds for international charity projects. Like our parent organization Rotary International, we have a long history of supporting charitable work in developing nations, including the nearly completed effort to eradicate polio worldwide.

Thanks to generous donations from people like you, our local club has supported international projects like these in the recent past:

- Grade school education for three girls in Uganda for three years
- Shipping costs of sending 32 infant incubators to Zimbabwe
- Financial support for the El Salvador Clean Water and Hygiene Project
- Mattresses to be distributed by a Rotary Club in Puerto Rico after their hurricane natural disaster in 2018
- Pediatric endoscopy equipment for a hospital in Croatia

We have some amazing items in this year's auction including a handmade heirloom quilt by Rotarian Kate Thompson, a \$1,000 gift certificate to the

Mohonk House in New Paltz (www.mohonk.com), a three-day, two-night stay at a private residence in Philadelphia, and a one-week stay at a private residence in Cape Cod.

To participate this fundraiser, go to:

<https://www.32auctions.com/ROTARYic2021>

The auction is open from Dec. 1 to 10, so hurry and put in your bid for one or more of these amazing items.

Thanking you in advance for your participation in helping to fund projects that make the world a better place.

For more information see our webpage at rotarylakeplacid.org or email rotarylakeplacid@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

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Chair, International Committee

Rotary Club of Lake Placid
